IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

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Inventor: Scott Nichol

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Examiner: Lois L. Zheng

Title: Sealed impeller for producing metal foam and system and method therefor

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop: Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office communication mailed January 11, 2008, please amend the subject application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 5 of this paper and include both replacement sheets and annotated sheets showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6.